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Re: FIELD AND LAB DATA APPENDICES ADDENDA

TYPE SELECTION REPORT GONZALES CREEK BRIDGE SR-56 MIDDLE SEGMENT SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA

Dear Mr. Fernon:

As you requested, we are providing Appendices A and B for our previously submitted Type Selection Report for the Gonzales Creek Bridge. Our report was submitted on January 28, 1999, prior to completion of the laboratory testing and test boring logs. This addendum completes our work for this bridge.

We appreciate the opportunity to work with you on this project and trust this information meets with your approval. If you have any questions, please call.

Very truly yours,

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APPENDIX A FIELD EXPLORATION

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A.1 Introduction

The subsurface conditions at the Gonzales Creek Bridge site were investigated by Group Delta Consultants, Inc. (GDC) on January 5, 1999, by performing four soil borings (GCB-HSA-1 through GCB-HSA-4) to depths ranging from 12.3 to 15.4 meters. A summary of the soil borings is presented in Table A-1.

A.2 Soil Drilling and Sampling

The borings were advanced utilizing a CME 85 hollow-stem drill rig. The borings had a hole diameter of about 203.2 mm. The borings were performed by our drilling subcontractors under a continuous technical observation of a GDC field geologist, who visually inspected the soil samples, maintained detailed logs of the borings, interpreted stratigraphy, classified the soils, and obtained relatively undisturbed drive samples as well as Standard Penetration Test (SPT) samples and bag/bulk samples at about 1.5 m interval.

The soils were classified in the field and further examined in the laboratory in accordance with the Unified Soil Classification System (see Figure A-1). Field classifications were modified where necessary on the basis of laboratory test results. Detailed logs of the soil borings including blow count data and in situ moisture content and soil density are presented in Figures A-2 through A-4. Laboratory tests performed, other than the moisture content and dry density determination, are shown on the boring logs in the column "Other Tests". Descriptions and result summaries of laboratory tests performed are presented in Appendix B.

Relatively undisturbed soil samples were obtained using 76.2-mm outside diameter Modified California sampler lined with brass rings, each 25.4-mm high and 61.5-mm inside diameter. The ring and tube samplers were driven with a 63.6-kg safety hammer with an automatic release dropping 762 mm.

In addition, Standard Penetration Tests were performed in accordance with ASTM D1586-82 using a 50.8-mm outside diameter and 34.9-mm inside diameter split-spoon barrel sampler. The SPT sampler was driven with a 63.6-kg safety hammer with an automatic release dropping 762 mm. The Standard Penetration Test consists of counting the number of hammer blows it takes to drive the sampler 0.3 m into the ground. SPT blow counts are often used as an index of the relative density and resistance of the sampled materials. California drive sampler blow counts can be converted to equivalent SPT blow counts using a sampler end-area correction factor of about 0.67.

The following abbreviations are used on the logs to indicate the type of test performed:

AL Atterberg Limits Tests (Plastic and Liquid Limits)

CO Soil Corrosivity Tests (pH, Sulfates, Chlorides, and Electrical Resistivity)

CT Compaction Test (Max. Dry Density-Optimum Moisture Content)

DS Laboratory Direct Shear Test

GS Grain Size Distribution Test

WA Wash Analysis (% Passing #200 Sieve or Fines Content)

A.3 List of Attached Tables and Figures

The following tables and figures are attached and complete this appendix:

Table A-1

Soil Boring Summary

Figure A-1

Key for Soil Classification

Figures A-2 through A-5

Boring Logs (GCB-HSA-1 through GCB-HSA-4)

TABLE A-1 SOIL BORING SUMMARY GONZALES CREEK BRIDGE STATE ROUTE 56, MIDDLE SEGMENT

			Т	_	Т	_		7	_
	Excavation Equipment		- OH - OH - 100 -	CME 85 HSA	CME OF LICA	CVIL OUTUSA	CMF 85 HSA	107.00	CME 85 HSA
	Groundwater Depth	(m)	Not Encountered	i or Lilcouillered	Not Encountered	DO JOHN DO JOH	10.6 (Perched)	L	Not Encountered
	Hole Diameter	(mm)	203.2	3.53	203.2	2 5 5 6	2.02.2	203.2	2.002
	Total Depth	(111)	13.9		13.9	10.2	16.7	15.4	
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Boring	No.	GCR HCA 1	1701-025	GCB-HSA-2	0.000	CCB-HVA-3	CCB HCA A	1-VOI 1-022	

^{*} Metric station and offset referenced from the centerline of the proposed Route 56 alignment were not surveyed.

KEY FOR SOIL CLASSIFICATION

Р	RIMARY DIVIS	1	GROUP SYMBOL	ASSIFICATION SYSTEM (ASTIMID 2487) SECONDARY DIVISIONS
m	GRAVEL	CLEAN GRAVEL	GW	Well-graded gravel, gravel with sand, little or no fines
) ji ()	(% GRAVEL >	(Less than 5% fines)	GP	Poorly-graded gravel, gravel with sand, little or no fines
S One	% SAND)	*DIRTY* GRAVEL	GM	Silty gravel, silty gravel with sand, silty or non-plastic fines
SOARSE-GRAINED SOILS (< 50% fines content)		(More than 12% fines)	GC	Clayey gravel, clayey gravel with sand, clayey or plastic fines
	SAND (% SAND ≥. % GRAVEL)	CLEAN SAND (Less than 5% fines) "DIRTY" SAND (More than 12% fines)	SW	Well-graded sand, sand with gravel, little or no fines
OARS (< {			SP	Poorly-graded sand, sand with gravel, little or no fines
ğ			SM	Silty sand, silty sand with gravel, silty or non-plastic fines
			SC	Clayey sand, clayey sand with gravel, clayey or plastic fines
S (5	SILTS A	ND CLAYS	ML	Inorganic silt, sandy silt, gravelly silt, or clayey silt with low plasticity
Sonte		less than 50)	CL	Inorganic clay of low to medium plasticity, sandy clay, gravelly clay, silty clay, Lean Clay
VE-GRAINED SOILS 50% fines content)			OL	Low to medium plasticity Silt or Clay with significant organic content (vegetative matter)
-GR/	SILTS AN	ND CLAYS	MH	Inorganic elastic silt, sandy silt, gravelly silt, or clayey silt of medium to high plasticity
FINE (> S		t 50 or more)	CH	Inorganic clay of high plasticity, Fat Clay
			ОН	Medium to high plasticity Silt or Clay with significant organic content (vegetative matter)
HIG	HLY ORGANIC	SOILS	PT	Peat or other highly organic soils

Note: Dual symbols are used for coarse grained soils with 5 to 12% fines (ex: SP-SM), and for soils with Atterberg Limits falling in the CL-ML band in the Plasticity Chart Borderline classifications between groups may be indicated by two symbols separated by a slash (ex: CL/CH, SW/GW).

2.0	CONSIS	TENCY CLA	SSIFICATION							
COARSE C	RAINED SOILS		FINE GRAINED SOILS							
Blowcount SPT ¹ (CAL) ²	Consistency	Blowcount ³ SPT ¹ (CAL) ²	Consistency	Undrained Shear Strength ³ , S _u (ksf)						
0-4		<2 (<3)	Very Soft	< 0.25						
(0-6)	Very Loose	2-4 (3-6)	Soft	0.25 -0.50						
5-10 (7-15)	Loose	5-8 (7-12)	Firm	0.50 - 1.0						
11-30 (16-45)	Med. Dense	9-15 (13-22)	Stiff	1.0 - 1.5						
31-50 (46-75)	Dense	16-30 (23-45)	Very Stiff	1.5 - 2.0						
>50 (>75)	Very Dense	>31 (>45)	Hard	>2.0						

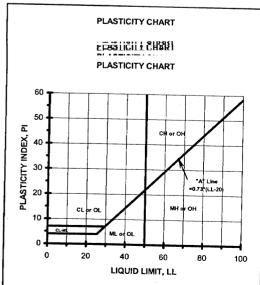
DRY - Absence of moisture, dusty, dry to the touch MOIST- Damp but no visible water WET- Visible free water, usually soil is below water table

CONSISTENCY NOTES:

1. Number of blows of a 140-lb. hammer falling 30-inches to drive a 2-inch O.D. (1.375-inch I.D.) SPT Sampler [ASTM D-1585] the final 12-inches of driving

2. Number of blows of a 140-lb. hammer falling 30-inches to drive a 3-inch O.D. (2.42-inch I.D.) California Ring Sampler the final 12-inches of driving.
3. Undrained shear strength of cohesive soils predicted from field blowcounts is generally unreliable. Where possible, consistency should be based on S_u data from pocket penetrometer, torvane, or laboratory testing.

CLASSIFICATION CRITERIA BASED ON L'ABORATORY TESTS **Grain Size Classification** SAND **CLAY AND SILT** GRAVEL Fine **COBBLES BOULDERS** Medium Coarse Fine Coarse 3/4" 3" 76.2 Grain Size (mm) 19.1 304.8 1011 18.2



Classification of earth materials shown on the logs is based on field inspection and should not be accompanied with the least light waterials shown on the logs is based on field inspection and should not be accompanied with the least light waterials shown on the logs is based on field inspection and should not be accompanied with the logs is based on field inspection and should not be accompanied with the logs is based on field inspection and should not be accompanied with the logs is based on field inspection and should not be accompanied with the logs is based on field inspection and should not be accompanied with the logs is based on field inspection and should not be accompanied with the logs is based on field inspection.

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Granular Soil Gradation Parameters

Coefficient of Uniformity: $C_u = D_{60} / D_{10}$

Coefficient of Curvature: $C_C = (D_{30})^2 / (D_{10} \times D_{60})$

 D_{10} = 10% of the soil is finer than this diameter

D₃₀= 30% of the soil is finer than this diameter

 D_{60} = 60% of the soil is finer than this diameter

Group Symbol SW	Gradation or Plasticity Requirement C_u >6 and C_c between 1 and 3
GW	C _u >4 and C _c between 1 and 3
GP or SP	Clean gravel or sand not meeting requirement for GW or SW
GM or SM	Plots below "A" Line on Plasticity Chart or PI < 4
GC or SC	Plots above "A" Line on Plasticity Chart and PI > 7

Metric Unit Conversion: 1" = 25.4 mm, 1.0 ksf = 47.88 kPa

	OTHER TESTS	MOISTURE	DRY DENSITY (kg/m3)	ENETRATION RESISTANCE (blows/0.3m)	SAMPLE TYPE	DEPTH (meters)	DESCRIPTION OF SUBSURFACE MATERIALS	ELEVATION (meters)		
	OTHEI) SIOW	DRY D	PENET RESIS (blow	SAMPI		THIS SUMMARY APPLIES ONLY AT THE LOCATION OF THIS BORING AND AT THE TIME OF DRILLING. SUBSURFACE CONDITIONS MAY DIFFER AT OTHER LOCATIONS AND MAY CHANGE AT THIS LOCATION WITH THE PASSAGE OF TIME. THE DATA PRESENTED IS A SIMPLIFICATION OF ACTUAL CONDITIONS ENCOUNTERED.	ΑΞ,ο ±		
	GS	11.7	1737	85	D	0-	Slopewash / Alluvium: Clayey Fine Sand (SC), medium dense, dark brown, moist	70.0		
						1-		-44		
	GS	14.7		18	S	2—	Sandy Lean Clay (CL),	-43		
	AL CO			-	В		very stiff, brown, moist			
شاركت والبارا	AL DS GS	17.8	1607	100+	D	3-	La Jolla Group: Silty Fine Sand (SM), very dense, light gray, moist, locally strongly cemented	-42		
	со			-	В	4-1	With few gravels up to 38 mm in size	-41		
	AL GS	15.2		100	S	5		-40		
	WA	14.9	1758	100+	D	6	With few gravels up to 25 mm in size Fines content = 18%	-39		
		1				7-7		-38		
	WA	12.5		85	s	8-		-37		
							Cemented sand layer from 8.2 to 8.5 m			
						9-1	With some gravels up to 64 mm in size	-36		
LBM GCB.GPJ 3-22-00	S Sta	ck Core ndard Spli		ΕQ	01/0 3		GROUP PROJECT NO. I-181 STATE ROUTE 56 MIDDLE SEG. PROJ Gonzales Creek Bridge			
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		12.7	1752	100+	D	=		
		13.5		100+	S	11-		-34
		i				11111	Cemented sand layer from 11.1 to 11.4 m	
						12	With some gravels up to 76 mm in size	-33
						13	Becomes dark gray	-32
		12.5		100+	S	14-	Bottom or boring at El. 31.1 m Groundwater not encountered	-31
						15		-30
						16		-29
						17-		-28
						18-		-27
						19-		-26
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		16.3		10	S	0-	Alluvium: Silty to Clayey Medium to Fine Sand (SM,SC), brown, moist, loose to medium dense	-44		
	DS WA	17.0	1695	33	D	1	Fines content = 34%	-43		
	CT DS			-	В		Clayey Medium to Fine Sand (SC), medium dense to dense, brown, moist Fines content = 30%	-42		
	WA WA	13.9		30	S	3-	Fines content = 27%	-41		
	DS WA	14.5	1829	40	D	4—	Fines content = 25% Increased clay content with few gravels	-40		
						6	up to 13 mm in size	-39		
		19.2		50	S	444444		-38		
		15.9	1809	100+	D	7—————————————————————————————————————	La Jolla Group: Silty Medium to Fine Sand (SM), very dense, light gray, moist, with occasional gravels, locally strongly cemented	-37		
				<u>-</u>	В	9-		-36		
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						10-	With few gravels up to 51 mm in size	-34		
						-	Cemented sand layer from 11.3 to 11.6 m	-33		
		13.7	1647	100+	D .	12—	Becomes dark gray	-32		
,		12.9		100+	S	13-		-31		
						14	Bottom of boring at El. 30.5 m Groundwater not encountered	-30		
						16—		-29		
						17-		-28		
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		11.0		20	S		Alluvium: Clayey Medium to Fine Sand (SC), medium dense, dark brown, moist, with few gravels and cobbles up to 152 mm in size	42.2 ± -42
		18.4	1541	34	D	1 - 1		-41
						2	La Jolla Group: Sandy Lean Clay (CL), hard, brown, moist Silty Medium to Fine Sand (SM), very dense, light gray, moist,	-40
		40.0				3	with occasional gravels, locally strongly cemented	
		12.8		100+	B	4-1		39
		15.4	4700	100	D	5	Cemented sand layer from 4.6 to 5.0 m	38
			1723	100+		6-1	With thin interlayers (<75 mm) of brown Clayey	37
		13.8		100+	S	7-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1	Sandy Silt (ML)	36
		12.0	1540	100+	D.	8-1		35
						9-1/2	With many small concretions up to 51 mm in size	34
							Cemented sand layer from 9.1 to 9.3 m	3
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		15.6	1604	100+	D	10	With few gravels up to 51 mm in size	-32
		13.3		100+	S	12	Bottom of boring at El. 29.8 m Perched water encountered at El. 31.5 m	-31
						13-		-29
						14-		28
						15		27
						16-1	-:	26
						17	-2	25
						19-	-2	24
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		8.7		20	S	0-	Top Soil / Residual Clay: Clayey Medium to Fine Sand (SC), medium dense, brown, moist	50.3 ±		
		13.1	1787	100+	D	2-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1	Sandy Lean to Fat Clay (CL/CH), stiff, mottled brown, moist La Jolla Group: Silty Fine Sand (SM), very dense, light gray, moist, locally strongly cemented, with interbeds of Sandy to Clayey Silt (ML/MH) and Lean to Fat Clay (CL/CH), hard, gray, moist	-49		
		19.0		65	S	3- 	Silt interbed from 3.1 to 3.5 m	-47		
		11.6	1675	100+	B	5	Clay interbed 25 mm thick	-46		
		12.3		100+	S	6	Silt interbeds 51 mm thick from 6.1 to 6.4 m Cemented sand layer from 6.4 to 6.7 m	-44		
		16.3	1691	100+	D	8 + 1 + 1 + 1	With few gravels and shell fragments	43		
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